



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY  
REGION IX  
75 Hawthorne Street  
San Francisco, CA 94105

April 11, 2014

Dear Mr. Garza:

Thank you for your telephone call on April 10, 2014. As we discussed, EPA has made several attempts over the past few weeks to send you a letter but has been unable to find a correct address. I am writing to you at 1245 Van Dyke Avenue, the address you provided to me during our telephone call, and am enclosing a new copy of that letter.

The enclosed letter, which is called a "General Notice Letter," explains that there is a Superfund site near your property called Yosemite Slough Site. For the past five years, EPA has been investigating parties who may be responsible for the contamination at the Yosemite Slough Site. We have identified more than 80 "potentially responsible parties," or "PRPs," including parties who own property near the Site and parties whose business operations may have contributed to the contamination. The letter also explains that EPA has identified you as a PRP based on your ownership of 1320 Wallace Avenue, also known as 1201 Van Dyke Avenue.

Other PRPs who have previously received General Notice Letters from EPA have formed a group to discuss issues related to the Yosemite Slough Site. I encourage you to contact the facilitator for that group for more information. His name is David Batson and you can reach him at (202) 494-8702 or [BatsonADR@verizon.net](mailto:BatsonADR@verizon.net).

Parties who receive General Notice Letters usually decide to hire an attorney to advise them and to participate in conversations with EPA on their behalf. You may wish to show this letter and the enclosed General Notice Letter to an attorney. You or your attorney can reach me at (415) 972-3746 or [tennis.rachel@epa.gov](mailto:tennis.rachel@epa.gov).

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, which appears to read "Rachel Tennis", is written over a horizontal line.

Rachel Tennis